one hundred and fifty of the public laws of one thousand sale of lands belonging to board eight hundred and eighty-one, be and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the general assembly read three times, and ratified this the 12th day of March, A. D. 1883.

CHAPTER 351.

An act to prevent negligence about railroad cars and to protect persons from injury by the cars.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

THAT WHEREAS, idle and mischievous persons fre- Preamble. quently enter the passenger and baggage cars of railroads when they stop at stations and get upon the platforms of said cars, thereby endangering their own lives and exposing the railroad companies to serious trouble;

SECTION 1. Therefore it shall be unlawful for any person to enter into a railroad passenger car, or baggage car, railroad car, &c., after being forbidor mail car, or caboose car, or upon the platforms of said den, &c., except as a passenger, &c. cars after being forbidden so to do by the conductor or his assistants, or the baggage master or other person in charge of said cars, unless said persons enter said cars or on said platforms as a passenger or in some official capacity authorized by law, or on business with a passenger or some official or employee of the railroad or other like purpose.

Unlawful to enter

SEC. 2. That for every violation of this statute the per- Misdemeanor. son so offending shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and punishable by a fine not to exceed ten dollars.

SEC. 3. This act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the general assembly read three times, and ratified this the 12th day of March, A. D. 1883.